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YOUNG-JIN JEON

Application No.:

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For: DATA OUTPUT BUFFER CAPABLE OF

CONTROLLING DATA VALID WINDOW IN SEMICONDUCTOR

**MEMORY DEVICES** 

Art Group: Unknown

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